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FM AMEMBASSY WELLINGTON

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INFO AMEMBASSY JAKARTA

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, ID, PT, NZ

SUBJECT: PORTUGUESE TIMOR

REF: JAKARTA 10848 040415Z SEPT

1. REFTTEL REPORTED STATEMENT BY INDONESIAN ACTING FONMIN MOCHTAR TO AMBASSADOR NEWSOM THAT NEW ZEALAND WAS WILLING TO JOIN INTERNATIONAL JOINT AUTHORITY FOR TIMOR AND PROVIDE TROOPS.

2. IN CONVERSATION WITH POL COUNS SEPTEMBER 9, HEAD OF FOREIGN MINISTRY'S ASIAN DIVISION INDICATED THAT GNZ HAD BEEN FOREWARNED REGARDING POSSIBLE INDONESIAN REQUEST FOR NZ PARTICIPATION IN JOINT AUTHORITY BUT SUCH REQUEST NOT YET RECEIVED, AND HE HOPED IT WOULD NOT BE AS IT WOULD  
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PLACE NZ IN DIFFICULT POSITION.

3. OFFICIAL SAID WHILE FAVORABLE NEW ZEALAND RESPONSE  
TO AN INDONESIAN REQUEST WOULD HHAVE IMMEDIATE EFFECT OF  
ENHANCING NZ'S RELATIONSHIP WITH INDONESIA, THERE WOULD  
BE OBVIOUS AND SERIOUS PITFALLS IF NEW ZEALAND WERE  
TO BECOME PARTY TO UNPREDICTABLE INDONESIAN ACTIONS IN TIMOR.  
OFFICIAL SEEMED CONFIDENT HIS RECOMMENDATION AGAINST NZ  
INVOLVEMENT WOULD BE ACCEPTED IF INDONESIA WERE TO APPROACH  
GNZ ON THIS MATTER.  
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